-Coffee is Firmer and Cheese Scores Advance-Pamine in Lawn Mowers.

Jobbers of all lines of goods are pleased with the week's trade. That of the grocers and hardware men has been very good and the dry goods houses report an increase of an already very fair trade. The leather business has been as dull as expected for several weeks, but in the last few days has been improving on a late demand for simmer shoes. All houses report good collections.

The dry goods business since June I has een considerably in excess of May for the same number of days. The house trade as been good and orders from salesmen re better. etter than they have been. stocks are being reduced and who feel the necessity of buying goods, are compelled to pay more than they would have paid a menth ago. Bleached and brown cottons of all grades and weights have advanced \*47% cent from the lowest point. Woolen goods of all kinds are very much higher

and firm at the prices.

One dry goods man said he was making preparations for an enormous fall business, as he saw in the crop reports from the territory tributary to Omaha an indication of general prosperity and consequent large trade.

Canned Fruit Situation.

During the week more prices have been coming in from the Castornia Fruit Cancers association. They are quite different from those sent out last year. The quotations are lower on peaches, apricots and tions are lower on peaches, apricots and plums, and considerably higher on cherries and pears. In view of the fact that there and pears. In view of the fact that there is a light fruit crop through this section of the country it is reasonable to suppose that the sale of California canned fruit will be greatly in excess of last year's business. There is quite a wide difference in the views expressed by the various California canners, caused very largely by the contracts which each canner has made.

The situation on canned corn is very strong on spot goods, and the same thing holds true with tomatoes. It tooks as though a healthy market in these lines would be seen until after the new packs are made. What the future beyond this will be is extremely difficult to forctell. If the acreage is cut down greatly, as now

If the acreage is cut down greatly, as now seems to be the case, there is no reason why a healthy market should not exist through the coming season.

Sugar is in rather an unsettled condition. Bugar is in rather an unsettled condition. Baws are lower this week, although at present no changes are reported in refined sugars. The demand through the country auring the week has been heavy, with the exception of this section, where the fruit rop is not yet matured, being later than in the states south and east of here. However, a very busy trade in sugar is looked for during the next two or three weeks. for during the next two or three weeks. It is impossible to say just at this time what the market will do.

Advance in Cheese Prices.

Coffee eased off the first of the week, but during the last two or three days it has been steadily firmer. Thursday futures has been steadily firmer. Thursday futures advanced fifteen points and Friday fifteen to twenty points. Holders do not seem at all anxious to sell only at fall list.

Cheese has advanced light a pound in the last week. This rise has been brought about largely by speculation in the cheap June make to be carried over in cold storage, and by a very good demand for immediate wants. It is the opinion of the jobbers that the trade is not to see lower prices in cheese for some time to come.

With fish the market in all grades remains steady. The demand is exceptionally good for this season of the year, especially in mackerel and family whitefish. The trade is looking for an advance on whitefish in the near future, the catch being considerably smaller this year than in any previous year for a long time. There is a heavy demand and it will surely have a tendency to advance the market. a heavy demand and it will surely have a tendency to advance the market.

Omaha is practically bure of Hollard herring and such stock as is available will soon be exhausted. The prices asked east are as high or even higher than those quoted in Omaha.

On fancy goods the suppose demand has

on fancy goods the summer demand has started off well. The warm weather has caused a decided movement in imported sardines and in canned meats. The prospeets now are for a good business from now on.

In dried fruits the market has been rather easy, with the exception of prunes, which have scored a steady advance in the last two weeks due to unfavorable crop

The future market is a little the last two weaks due to unfavorable crop conditions. The future market is a little strong, both on peaches and apricots, while the situation with regard to raisins is not at all clear. Dried fruits are all moving with reasonable demand.

The recent advances in rice have been sustained, both on Japan's and fancy head rice. What supplies are in sight are very firm, held by persons who have the utmost confidence in the future strength of the market.

Beans Will He Scarce.

Oats are a little stronger with a fairly good demand. There are no changes in the prices of syrups.

There seems likely to be a famine in beans by fall if not before. Wet weather in Michigan, where a great part of the crop is grown, has prevented planting, and the output of the country will be curtailed. Prices have gone 250c higher in a week.

The sale of woodenware is good. Prices are steady at last week's figures, with no immediate prospects of any change.

The hardware trade is pleasing to the jobbers, particularly in the line of summer goods, such as ice cream freezers, refrigerators and lawn mowers. There has been such a demand for the lawn mowers that the Omaha stock has been exhausted for some time and the wholesalers have been struggling to get them from the factories. They have succeeded in getting a few small lots, but not enough to meet the demand. One firm is cancelling orders for an average of twenty-five mowers a day.

Barbed wire has taken a summer vacation, as far as orders are concerned, but the hardware men forget this in satisfaction at the sale of nails and builders hardware, which is now enormously large, and is growing as the season advances. Can-

ware, which is now enormously large, and la growing as the season advances. Canning tools and haying tools are also in hig demand.

Prices are firm in all lines of hardware, but the week has brought no changes. Conditions are excellent for the summer's trade. Collections are good. More Orders for Shoes,

Hore Orders for Shoes.

Leather is as quiet as it has been for the past three weeks, with the exception that the retailers have found their stock of low shoes too small and are making small additional orders. The fall orders are now all taken and the shoe houses will soon be shipping them out. There has been no advance since last reports. The salesmen will not be doing much for several weeks now, and some of them are preparing to take their vacation.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET Quotations of the Day on Various

Commodities. NEW YORK, June 17.—FLOUR—Receipts, 18,42 bbts.; exports, 7,7% bbts.; market, dull and unchanged; winter patents, \$4,9025.25; winter straights, \$4,5024.80; Minnesota patents, \$5,0056.25; winter straights, \$4,5024.80; Minnesota bakers, \$3,7504.15; winter low grades, \$3,003.35. Rye flour, quiet; fair to geod, \$4,2504.00; choice to fancy, \$4,6004.80. CORNMEAL—Fum; fine white and yellow, \$1,25; coarse, \$1,1261.16; kiin dried, \$2,30,35.00.

low. 81.25; coarse, S. 1261.15; kiln dried, \$2.26.63.00.

BARLEY-Dull; feeding, 46c, c. i. f. New York; maiting, 63652c, c. i. f. Buffalo.

WHEAT-Receipts, 3.000 bu.; spot market, firm; No. 2 red, 31.05, nominal, elevator; No. 2 red, 51.07\(\frac{1}{2}\) nominal, f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Fulnith, \$1.16\(\frac{1}{2}\) f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Fulnith, \$1.16\(\frac{1}{2}\) f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 nard, Manitoba, \$1.09\(\frac{1}{2}\) f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, \$1.09\(\frac{1}{2}\) f. o. b. afloat; household the state of the opening wheat was very firm all day, reflecting bullish crop and weather nows in the northwest, smaller spring wheat receipts and active covering. The close represented \$10\(\frac{1}{2}\) c. net advance. July, \$25\(\frac{1}{2}\) fig. 15-16c, closed at \$25\(\frac{1}{2}\) c. September, \$85\(\frac{1}{2}\) f. \$25\(\frac{1}{2}\) c. closed at \$25\(\frac{1}{2}\). Resember, \$85\(\frac{1}{2}\) f. \$25\(\frac{1}{2}\) c. closed at \$25\(\frac{1}{2}\) f. \$25\(\frac{1}\) f. \$25\(\frac{1}{2}\) f. \$25\(\frac

closed at 174c; September, 85 agoste. Cover at 85%c; December, 854888%c, closed at 88%c.

CORN-Receipts, 87.075 bu.; exports, 187.583 bu.; spot market, steady; No. 2, 61%c elevator and 61c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 61%c; No. 2 white, 61c; option market was inactive with no transactions, closing 4c net higher; July closed at 58%c; September closed at 57%c.

CATS-Receipts, 58.500 bu.; exports, 3.255 bu. spot market, steady; mixed cats, 26 to 32 lbs., 3543374c; elipped white, 36 to 40 lbs., 3546374c; elipped white, 36 to 40 lbs., 3546686c.

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CONDITION OF OMAHA'S TRADE

ders. 5 iggsc; pickled hams, 10 ig 10 igc. Lard, quiet; western steamed, 17.10 ig 17.20; refined, steady; continent, \$1.35; Bouth America, \$8.15; compond, \$5.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; family, \$15.00 ig 15.50; ehert clear, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; family, \$15.00 ig 15.50; ehert clear, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; family, \$15.00 ig 15.00; ehert clear, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; family, \$15.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$15.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13.37 ig 6.5254. Pork, steady; for its pick, \$13.00 ig 15.00; mess, \$13. boxes.
EGGS-Easy: receipts, 9.897 cases; western, 13677c; southern, 126244gc.
POULTRY-Alive, quiet: western spring
chickens, 22623c; fowls, 134c; turkeys, 12c;
dressed, steady; western broilers, 24625c;
fowls, 106124c; turkeys, 13617c.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS. Features of the Trading and Closing

Prices on Board of Trade.

CHICAGO, June 17.—Continued coid, wet weather in the northwest started active coverning by shorts in the wheat pit here today and caused a strong finish. The July delivery was up an even cent at the close. Corn is up %file; oats showed a gain of %file; provisions are up 5616c.

Strength in the wheat market developed late in the session. At the start sentiment was quite bearish and initial quotations in July were off %c to %c %file, at 87% to 8cc. Weakness at the opening was due to reports of excellent weather for harvesting throughout the southwest. In addition advices of good yields of wheat gave bears an incentive to sell. Many traders who bought yesterday were today eager to dispose of holdings. One prominent trader particularly had liberal offerings. As a result prices declined, July selling off to 87%c. During the last half of the session sentiment suddenly veered to builtshness, the market becoming extremely strong. The principal reason for the change in sentiment was fear for the spring-grown crop, fresh advices from Minneapolis telling of additional damage by unfavorable weather conditions. From St. Louis came a dispatch claiming that recent heavy rains in Kansas had greatly damaged the wheat crop. Alarmed by these reports, shorts made an attempt to cover sales, but offerings were lacking. The result was a quick advance, which carried the price of July up to 894,685%c. Commission houses were active buyers late in the session. The market closed nearly at the top price of the day, final quotations on July being at 894,689%c. Commission houses were active buyers late in the session. The market closed nearly at the top price of the day, final quotations on July being at 894,689%c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 97,500 bushels. Primary receipts were 223,800 bu., compared with 296,500 bu. a year ago. Strength of wheat caused a sharp upturn in corn prices. Early in the session the market closed at price of the day in the session the market closed at price of light accept Prices on Board of Trade.

receipts were 438 cars, with 128 of contract grade.

Excellent weather and weakness of other grains had a depressing influence on the oats market early in the session. Later the market became quite firm in sympathy with the upturn in wheat and corn. July opened a shade to 1624c lower, at 30% to 31c, sold up to 31%c and closed at the top. Local receipts were 180 cars. Provisions were firm on a fair demand from packers. Offerings were light. At the close September pork was up 10c, at \$13.10. Lard was up fc, at \$1.52%. Ribs were 10c higher, at \$7.8508.87%.

Estimated receipts for Monday: Wheat, 1 car; corn, 494 cars; oats, 96 cars; hogs. 1 car: corn, 494 cars; oats, 39 cars; hogs, 32,000 head. The leading futures ranged as follows:

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WEATHER IN THE GRAIN BELT Showery and Unsettled in Central and

Showery and unsettled weather continues general throughout the central valleys and west. Light local thunder showers were general in the central valleys during the last twenty-four hours, and showery weather will probably continue in the central valleys tonight and Sunday.

The weather is cooler west of the Mississippi river to the mountains and will continue cool in the central valleys today, followed by slightly warmer Sunday.

Omaia record of temperature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

1206, 1204, 1203, 1204, 1203, 1204, 1203, 1204, 1203, 1204, 1203, 1204, 1203, 1204, 1203, 1204 Western Valleys.

Normal temperature for today, 78 desgrees.

Deficiency in precipitation since March 1,
3.42 inches.

Deficiency corresponding period in 1964,
Si of an inch.

Deficiency corresponding period in 1968,
47 of an inch.

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—Temp.— Rain.

Stations, Max. Min. Inches.
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Columbus, Neb. 76 56 25

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Fairbury, Neb. 80 51 .09 F
Fairmont, Neb. 70 54 .12

Gg. Island, Neb. 70 57 .25 F
Hartington, Neb. 68 54 .15

Oakdale, Neb. 70 56 .24

Omaha, Neb. 74 59 .67

Carrell, Ia. 83 60 T

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Storm Lake, Ia. 79 58 .07

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Minneapolis ..... 25 Omaha, Neb. 4... 18 Local Forecaster, Weather Bureau.

NEW YORK, June 17. — METALS—The metals were all without material change. Copper is quoted at \$14.50 for lake and electrolytic and \$14.75 for casting. Tin remains quiet but steady at \$20.30(20.50. Lead is quoted at \$4.50(24.60) and spelter at \$5.35. Iron is reported easy in tone with rumors of sales about \$5 points under previous quotations for No. 2 foundry, southern.

ST. LOUIS, June 17.—METALS—Lead, firm at \$4.424(34.4%. Spelter, quiet at \$5.10.

Milwaukee Grain Market. MILWAUKEE. June 17. — WHEAT— Strong, No. 1. northern, \$1.13; No. 2, north-ern, \$1.0601.10; July, 594c bid. RYE—Steady; No. 1, Sic. BARLEY—Strong; No. 2, Sic; sample, 409 50c, CORN-Etrong; No. 2, yellow, 5414855c;

Activity or Strength Friday is Yow One Point Lower.

NEW YORK, June II.—Small business for today's half session closed a duil week on the stock exchange and afforded no relief to the existing stagnant conditions. The most significant feature in the market was the loss of nearly a point in Reading, which was the only stock to show any activity or strength yesterday. This was the index of the day's whole movement. Declines of varying fractions are the rule. The quasi fictitious nature of the transactions by the professional traders seems to be absolutely without a sustaining basis in any actual business either by sellers or buyers of stock. Small as were yesterday's advances the traders had no other resource today than to reserve their position, yesterday's narrow movement having exhausted the possibility of an upward movement. The inertia of the market is complete except for these timid ventures by a small remnant of traders. There was some discussing of the reported friction between Germany and France over their relations toward Morocco. But it was said that not over 500 shares were traded in here for foreign account, and these, so far as they were traceable, were on yesterday's orders delayed until today in the execution. The greater speculative activity in the market was accentuated to a very slight extent after the appearance of the bank statement. The increase in deposits was principally due to loan expansion and while the reserve requirement was thus increased some \$4.113,000, the cash increase amounted to only \$1,485,000. The result was a shrinkage in the surplus of \$2.518,000 and \$7.292,560.

The activity in Japanese \$4\frac{1}{2}\$ certificates continued, but their narrow range made them less attractive for trading operations than on yesterday. Total sales of bonds, par value, \$2.556,000.

The quotations on the New York Stock exchange ranged as follows:
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Am. Hide & L. pfd.

Am. Ice securities.

Am. Linseed Oil do preferred.

Am. Locomotive 600 47% 47 do preferred

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Total sales for the day, \$4,700 shares, London Stock Market.

LONDON. June 17 .- Closing quotations on 90 T-16 N. Y. Central.
20 to Norfolk & W.
50 to pfd
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105 to Pennsylvania
111 to Rand Mines
124 to 125 to 124
125 to 22 pfd
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125 to Consels, money . do lat pfd. 50% U.S. Steel. 25% do pfd ... 25% litinois Centrai ... 165% Wabash ... 18 Louisville & Nash ... 165% Wabash ... 18 M. K. & T. ... 25% Spanish is ... 25% SILVER—Bar. firm. 27%d per ounce. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 25% i-16 per cent; for three months' bills. 16%21-16 per cent.

New York Mining Stocks. NEW YORK. June 17 .- Closing quotation mining stocks were: lice 51 "Optario resce 20 Ophir 20 Ophir Floania Omnitock Tunnel 8 Potosi on. Cal. & Va. 140 Savage Nevada Final Hopes 200 Smill Hopes Cardville Con 5 Etai dard ... \*\*Coffered ... \*\*Etai dard ... \*\*Coffered ... \*\*Tophir \*\*Tophir

\*Offered. Clearing House Averages. NEW YORK, Juns 17.—The statement of averages of the clearing house banks of this city for the week shows: Leans, \$1.164.-850.560; increase, \$15.340.000. Deposits, \$1.164.-850.560; increase, \$16.462.000. Circulation, \$47.350.000; increase, \$18.462.000. Legal tenders, \$36.452.000; increase, \$1.350.000. Specie, \$205.50; increase, \$264.700. Reserve, \$252.250.700; increase, \$4.413.000. Reserve required, \$235.-671,250; increase, \$4.113.000. Surplus, \$7.105.500;

decrease, \$2,618,000. Ex-United States de-posits, \$10,259,100; decrease, \$2,651,325.

New York Money Market, New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, June 17.—MONEY—On call, nominal; no loans; time loans, firmer; sixty days, 3 per cent; ninety days, 34,634 per cent; six months, 34 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 34,944 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4,8756 48720 for demand and at \$4,8054,885; for sixty-day bills; posted rates, \$4,8924.85; commercial bills, \$4,847. silver-Bar, 58%; Mexican dollars, BONDS-Government and railroad, steady,

Bank Clearings. OMAHA, June 17.—Bank clearings for today were \$1,248,286.69 and for the corresponding date last year \$1,181,047.63.

The following were the clearings for the week, compared with the same week of 1904:

Monday 1506.696.13 \$1,365.066.40

Thesday 1509.081.2 \$1,365.066.40 Tuesday 1,53,648.24 1,295.862.53 Wednesday 1,390.349.83 1,398.889.91 Wednesday 1,655.709.21 1,357.167.38 Friday 1,487.578.41 1,279.096.59 Saturday 1,348.295.60 1,181.047.63 

NEW YORK, June 17.—Total imports of merchandise and dry goods at the port of New York for the week ending today were valued at \$10.058,999.

Total imports of specie at the port of New York for the week ending today were \$22,020 in silver and \$76.131 gold.

Total exports of specie from the port of New York for the week ending today were \$50,701 in silver and no gold.

Statement of Bank of Germany. BERLIN, June 17.—The weekly statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany shows the following changes: Cash in hand, Increase, 17,980,000 marks; treasury notes increased 940,000 marks; other securities decreased 2,990,000 marks; notes in circulation, decreased 23,900,000.

Trensury Statement. WASHINGTON, June 17.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, \$135,880,168; Other buyers

Wool Market,

BOSTON, Mass., June 17.—WOOL—
The Commercial Bulletin says of the wool market: While the market retains its strength business, although sat: Is factory, is not being done in as large blocks as previously. The demand for merine wool has taken a spurt with possibilities of ancreased activities. New territory wools are selling well and but little is yet doing in fleeces. The foreign markets are very strong and supplies abroad are light. The sates which open on July 4 will are very strong and supplies abroad are light. The sates which open on July 4 will are prices are anticipated. The shippents of wool from Boston to date from December 129, 1994, according to the same authority, are 114,693,222 pounds against 457,645,50 pounds at the same time last year. The receipts to date are 161,831,334 pounds against 114, 327,163 pounds at the same time last year.

ST. LOUIS. Mo., June 17.—WOOL—
Steady: medium grades, combing and against 114, 327,163 pounds of the market shows a good demand for the receipts to date are life,831,29c, heavy fine, 2092-21/c; tub washed, 239-22/c; tub washed, 239-22/c; the washed, 330-22/c; the washed, 330-22/c; the washed, 330-22/c; the washed are life,831,334 pounds against 114, 327,163 pounds are moderate trade in wool during the past week. Home grown clips were taken for America at full rates. Australian wool show but firm. The arrivals of wool for the fourth series of auction sales amount to 139,873 bales, including 65,000 bales for warded direct to spinners. The imports were: New South Wales, 7,223 bales, 100-100, 100

St. Louis General Market.

ST. LOUIS, June 17 .- WHEAT-Higher; No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 92c; track, \$1.95; July, \$2%c; September, \$2%c; No. 2 hard, \$1.05. 11.05. CORN—Higher; No. 2 cash, 51½c; track, 1244613c; July, 52½c; December, 45¼c. OATS—Higher; No. 2 cash, 31½c; track, 12c; July, 25½c; September, 28½c; No. 2 white, 33½c; September, 10,20 white, 33½c. Red winter patents, FLOUR-Steady. Red winter patents, \$4.5565.10; extra fancy and straight, \$4.7564.40; clear, \$2.2064.00.

34.15@5.16: extra fancy and straight, \$4.75@5.19: clear, \$3.20@4.00.

SEED—Timothy, steady; \$2.00@2.40.

CORNMEAL—Steady; \$2.00.

BRAN—Steady; sacked, sast track, 75@75c.

HAY — Steady; timothy, \$8.00@13.00;

prairie, \$6.00@9.50.

IRON COTTON TIES—98c.

BAGGING—8½c.

HEMP TWINE—6½c.

PROVISIONS — Pork, higher; jobbing, \$12.57½. Lard, firm; prime steam, \$6.72½.

Dry sait meats, higher; boxed extra shorts, \$7.75; clear ribs, \$7.75; short clears, \$8.00.

Bacon, higher; boxed extra shorts, \$8.00.

Bucutty—Market steady; chickens, \$c; springs, 15@18c; turkeys, lie; ducks, 9@11c; geese, 5@10c

BUTTER—Market, slow; creamery, 16@500.

Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, June 17.—COTTON—Futures closed harely steady; June, \$55c; July, \$62c; August, \$69c; September, \$73c; October, \$89c; November, \$58c; December, \$91c; January, \$94c; February, \$97c; March, \$9.01c; April, \$9.04c; May, \$9.8c. Spot closed steady; middling uplands, \$15c; middling gulf, \$49c; sales, none.

NEW ORLEANS, June 17.—COTTON—Firm; sales, 1,550 bales; ordinary, \$7.16c; good ordinary, 7%c; low middling, \$4%c; good middling, \$1.50; receipts, \$1.360 bales; stock, \$7.94 bales.

BT. LOUIS, June 17.—COTTON—Steady; middling, \$1.50; sales, 207 bales; receipts, 250 bales; shipments, 256 bales; stock, 40.373 bales. NEW YORK, June 17 .- COTTON-Futures

Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits. Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, June 17.—EVAPORATED APPLES—Market shows a steady tone, with demand light. Common to good are queted at 44.694%; prime, 5%.66%; choice. 66%%; fancy, 7c.

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS—Prunes were unchanged, with quotations ranging from 2% to 6c, according to grade. Apricots are duil, with choice queted at 10% 10%; extra choice, 11c; fancy, 12%55c. Peaches are firm on account of the light supplies available on spot. Choice are quoted at 10%10%; c: extra choice, 10%% 10%c; fancy, 10%212c. Raisins are unchanged; loose Muscatel pueted at 4% 6%c; seeded raisins, 5%.65%c; London layers, \$1.00%1.15.

Dry Goods Market. NEW YORK, June 17.—DRY GOODS—Market is still strong and buyers find difficulty in securing prompt delivery of goods. Buying is not speculation, but operators are willing to contract shead further than hus been the case in the past. The tendency is still upward.

Beef Steers and Cows Lower for the Week, with Trading Slow.

HOGS ACTIVE, BUT PRICES RULE LOWER Receipts of Sheep and Lambs at This

Point Moderate for the Week, with Prices Ruling Generally Steady to Strong.

Cattle Hogs, Sheep,
2,271 5,523 1,492
5,739 12,567 1,693
2,785 8,794 3,040
1,290 9,822 455
539 9,645 893 Receipts were: Monday Tuesday ...... Wednesday ..... \*\*\*\*\*\*\* The following table shows the receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at South Omaha for the year to date, compared with last year:

1905. 1904. Inc. Dec.

Cattle ... 383.985 432.704 ... 38,739

Hogs ... 1,169.780 1,250.650 ... 80,870

Sheep ... 703,783 688.957 34,816

The following table shows the average price of hogs at South Omaha for the last several days, with comparisons:

Date. | 1905. | 1904. | 1902. | 1901. | 1900. | 1899.

\*Indicates Sunday. The official number of cars of brought in today by each road was

Cattle Hogs Sh'p H'ses. M. & St. P..... 

Omaha Packing Co. ..... 

Thursday and Friday prices were still lower. Common cattle, as well as anything showing grass, were very hard to move and were not wanted. This market is in no worse shape than other points, as every market has been gutted with supplies, which is the main reason for the decline noted. Packers claim that they are getting supplies faster than they can dispose of them.

There has been a little better demand for the good, heavy drylot cows and heifers than for steers, and on these kind the market shows less change. On the common and grassy kinds the market is in about the same condition as on steers, and a de-

and grassy kinds the market is in about the same condition as on steers, and a decline of 156725c is noted for the week. The trade on the grass cattle is very slow and they are hard to move even at the decline. Bulls, yeal calves and stags also show a decline and the demand is poor. There was a light supply of stockers and feeders here this week, but supplies were fully equal to the demand, which was poor. Prices on these kinds also show a loss and are 156725c lower than last week. Representative cales:

sentative sales: BEEF STEERS ...1979 8 00

HOGS—There was a good run of hogs here for a Saturday, about 123 loads being on sale. Buyers were out early, but were in a bearish mood, asking sellers to take off on the price, and trading on the opening was slow. Bids were generally 14c lower than yesterday's general market and the bulk of the hogs changed hands on this basis. Light hogs were in the best demand, while the trade on the heavier weights was a little slow. The market showed considerable activity after trading became fairly started and a fair clearance was made in good season. The bulk of the hogs changed hands at £6.17406.27%, with tops reaching \$5.25. The popular price was \$5.20. Representative sales:

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET | range stuff, as fed sheep are pretty well GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET leaned up. Quotations for clipped stock: Good to \$5.500,6.00; good to choice yearings, \$5.00; 5.50; fair to good yearlings, \$4.7505.00; good to choice wethers, \$4.7505.25; fair to good wethers, \$4.2504.75; good to choice ewes, \$4.200,4.60; fair to good ewes, \$4.0004.30.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET All Classes of Stock Stendy on Moderate Receipts for Saturday.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY. Mo., June 17.—CATTLE

Receipts, 500 head. including 400 southerns. Choice export and dressed beef
steers, 55.256.55; fair to good, 54.256.60;
western fed steers, 54.256.55; stockers and
feeders, 53.0094.60; southern steers, 53.009
5.06; southern cows, 52.2564.00; native cows,
52.2564.00; native heifers, 53.2564.00; bulls,
52.3564.25; calves, 53.0095.75. Receipts for
the week, 32.100 head.

HOGS—Receipts, 5.000 head. Market
steady, Top, 53.35; bulk of sales, 55.3095.35;
pigs and lights, 55.2095.35. Receipts for the
week, 45.500 head.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, none.
Market nominally steady. Native lambs,
52.0097.00; western fed lambs, 35.7567.10;
fed ewes and yearlings, 34.25675.15; Texas
clipped yearlings, 35.0795.40; Texas clipped
sheep, 34.2596.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.35
graph of the men who went out
from Lincoln. Geneva is in Fillmore
county, one of the counties reported builty

New York Live Stock Market. New York Live Stock Market.

NEW YORK, June 17.—BEEVES—Receipts, 20 head; no trading. Market feeling steady. Dressed beef slow at 75,279 per pound. Exports, 750 cattle, 65 sheep and 6,215 quarters of beef.

CALVES—Receipts, none and nothing doing; feeling weak. City dressed veals slow at 8,000 pc per pound.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,007 head; none on sale. Market recling steady. HOGS—Receipts, 2.007 head; none on sale.
Market teeling steady.
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 2.838
head; sheep steady; lambs slow and 25c
lower on all except choice grades. Sheep
sold at \$3.0024.60; yearlings, \$5.00; lambs,
\$8.002.55; one car of choice heavy lambs,
\$8.00. Dressed mutton dull at 702c per
pound; dressed lambs slow and lower at
11673c.

St. Louis Live Stock Market. St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, June 17.—CATTLE—Receipts, 750 head, including 600 Texans; market, steady; native shipping and export steers, \$1,5026.00; dressed beef and butcher steers, \$3,5026.55; steers under 1,000 bbs, \$3,5024.50; stockers and feeders, \$2,5024.50; cows and heifers, \$2,0026.00; canners, \$2,002.50; bulls, \$2,7563.25; calves, \$4,2026.00; Texas and Indian steers, \$2,7565.25; cows and heifers, \$2,0024.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,000 head; market, steady; pigs and lights, \$5,0025.45; packers, \$4,5025.40; butchers and best heavy, \$5,2026.50; 5.45. SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts, none;

Sloux City Live Stock Market. SIOUX City Live Stock Market.
SIOUX CITY, Ia., June 17.—(Special Telegram.)—CATTLE—Receipts, 709 head; market steady to weak; beeves, \$3.75@5.50; cows, bulls and mixed, \$2.75@4.69; stockers and feeders, \$3.0094.09; calves and yearlings, \$2.75@3.90.
HOGS—Receipts, 9.509 head; market 24%c lower, selling at \$5.15@5.29; bulk of sales, \$5.15@6.17%.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market. ST. JOSEPH, Mo., June 17.—CATTLE—Receipts, 36 head. Market steady. Natives, 33.75@6.66; cows and heifers, \$1.50@4.75; Receipts, 35 head. Market steady. Natives, 31.75@6.65; cows and heifers, \$1.50@4.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.75@4.65.
HOGS—Receipts, 3,610 head. Market 24/c higher; closed weak; medium and heavy, \$5.30@5.25.
SHEEP—Receipts, 68 head; market steady.

Stock in Sight. Receipts of live stock at the six principal western markets yesterday; Cattle. Hogs. Sheep. South Omaha ..... Sloux City
Kansas City
St. Joseph
St. Louis
Chicago 15,000 38,555 15,870 Totals ..... 2,925

NEW YORK. June 17.—SUGAR—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3%c; centrifugal, 95 test, 44c. Molasses sugar, 3%c; refined, quiet: No. 6, 5.25c; No. 7, 5.20c; No. 8, 5.10c; No. 9, 5.05c; No. 10, 5c; No. 11, 4.90c; No. 12, 4.50c; No. 18, 4.70c; refined, outet: No. 18, 4.70c; No. 14, 4.70c; confectioners' A, 5.70c; mould A, 6.20c; cut loaf, 6.55c; crushed, 6.55c; powdered, 5.95c; granulated, 5.85c; cubes, 6.90c.

MOLASSES—Quiet; New Orleans open kette, good to choice, 29635c.

NEW ORLEANS, June 17.—SUGAR—Quiet; open kettle, 3%644c; open kettle centrifugal, 4%64%c; centrifugal whites, 5c; yellows, 4%64 15-16c; seconds, 364c.

MOLASSES—Nominal; open kettle, 13@25c; centrifugal, 6%14c. Syrup, 30c.

Coffee Market,

NEW YORK, June 17.—COFFEE—Market
for futures opened steady at unchanged
prices to a decline of five points under reallzing and selling for a reaction encouraged by somewhat disappointing European
cables. The market was railled by buil
support and closed steady; net unchanged
to five points lower. Sales were reported
of 2,250 bags, including July at 6.25@6.40c;
September at 6.60; December at 6.85@6.90c;
March at 7.00c; May at 7.10@7.15c. Spot
steady; No. 7, Rio invoice, 7%c; mild
steady; Cordova, 10@13c. Coffee Market.

Tom Johnson Averts Wreck. Tom Johnson Averts Wreck.

CHICAGO, June 17.—Mayor Tom L. Johnson of Cleveland, who is here investigating the Chicago street car system, had a narrow escape today when an automobile in which he and P. B. Dupont of Detroit were riding collided with a cable car as the automobile was about to cross the street car tracks at Clark and Randolph streets. The dexterity of Mayor Johnson, who was operating the machine, prevented a serious accident. When he saw a collision was unavoidable he reversed the power and the big machine backed away and escaped with slight injuries to the front wheel, the only part touched by the street car.

Kansas Oil Lower. INDEPENDENCE, Kan., June 17.—The price of western oil was cut 3 cents a barrell today. The Standard Oil company is now paying 50 cents a barrel for high-grade Kansas and territory oil and 5 cents less a barrel for each half degree gravity under 32 down to 30 cents a barrel twas long ago predicted the price of Kansas oil would reach 50 cents a barrel by reason of the vast overproduction in this field.

BOSTON, June 17.—Practically all the business activities of Greater Boston were suspended today in observance of the annievrsary of the battle of Bunker Hill. The patriotic celebration centered, as usual, in Charlestown, the scene of the famous fight. There was a parade of the militia and blue jackets from the warships, Various outdoor events attracted large numbers of people. Woodmen Clerks Busy. Woodmen Clerks Busy.

MILWAUKEE, June 17.—More than 600 delegates were present today when the fourth annual convention of Local Camp Clerks' Association of Modern Woodmen of America was called to order at the Republican house. Perhaps the most important subject under discussion today was the inhibition against all men associated with the liquor traffic.

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Rust Reports and Wet Weather Get Best of Bears.

CEREALS SCORE ANOTHER ADVANCE

Wheat Has a Good Day, Corn is

erate Receipts for Saturday.

CHICAGO, June 17.—CATTLE—Receipts.
469 head; market steady; good to prime steers. \$5.0026.25; poor to medium, \$4.005 5.25, stockers and feeders. \$2.504.75; cows. \$2.504.69; heifers. \$2.504.09; calves. \$3.006.59; Texas fed steers, \$4.0065.09; calves. \$3.006.59; Texas fed steers, \$4.0065.09; head; estimated Monday, 42.009 head; market steady; mixed and butchers. \$5.2565.47½; good to choice heavy. \$5.2565.47½; good to choice heavy. \$5.2565.47½; good to choice head; market steady; mixed and butchers. \$5.2565.47½; good to choice head; market steady; good to choice head; market steady; good to choice wethers, \$5.2565.09; fair to choice mixed. \$3.506 4.09; western sheep. \$4.0065.00; native lambs. \$4.5067.00; western lambs, \$5.0065.00; native lambs. \$4.5067.00; western lambs, \$5.0065.00; native lambs. \$5.0065.00; native lambs. \$5.0065.00; head, including 400 southern. \$5.006.00; fair to good, \$4.2565.00; for a large movement next week. July closed at 52565.00; fair to good, \$4.2565.00; for a large movement next week. July closed at 52565.00; for a large movement next week. July closed at 52565.00; for a large movement next week. July closed at 52565.00; for a large movement next week. July closed at 52565.00; for a large movement next week. July closed at 52565.00; old July at 5446, September at 52565.00; for a large movement next week. July closed at 525650; old July at 5446, September at 525650; stockers and feeders. \$2.5066.00; native cows.

He talked today with a citizen of Geneva, who said there was but little fly in his county and that most of the damage was in the minds of the men who went out from Lincoln. Geneva is in Fillmore county, one of the countles reported badly

Reports of black rust in the Dakotas and Minnesota have been consistently denied today. The Great Northern Elevator company of Minnespolis sent a man out, who found some red rust, but no black. The Western Elevator company of Winona, Minn., wired that there is no indication of rust at Grotson, S. D., as reported yesterday. There is some red rust at Watertown, S. D., says this message, but none at Salem, Melville, S. D., wired that it had no rust, but that 2 per cent of the wheat had been drowned out. The milling demand for wheat at Chicago yesterday was quiet, with sales of 35,000 bushels. Bids for new wheat sent by Kansas City to Kansas and Oklahoma yesterday failed to bring responses. Millers are offering the farmers in Missouri 90c for their new wheat. Reports from the harvest in some sections of southern Illinois say they are getting ten busnels an acre where they expected twenty. Harvest is in full blast at Ellsworth, Kan. Broomhall estimates the world's wheat shipments for the week at 11,200,000 bushels.

Omaha Cash Prices. intested. Reports of black rust in the Dakotas

Omaha Cash Prices. Omaha Cash Precs.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 86497c; No. 3 hard, 80496c; No. 4 hard, 89c; No. 3 spring, 96c, CORN—No. 2, 494c; No. 3, 45c; No. 4, 48c; no grade, 4244c; No. 2 yellow, 494c; No. 3 yellow, 494c; No. 2 white, 494c; No. 8 white, 42c, OATS-No. 2 mixed, 28½c; No. 3 mixed, 28½c; No. 4, mixed, 27½c; No. 2 white, 29½c; No. 3 white, 29½c; No. 4 white, 29c; stand-

ard, 29%c. Carlot Receipts. Wheat. Corn. Oats Minneapolis Grain Market. The range of prices paid in Minneapolis, as reported by the Edwards-Wood company, 110-111, Board of Trade, was: Articles. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yes'y. 53% 53% 51% 52% 47% 48%

Sept... ·New. Peorla Market. PEORIA, June 17.—CORN—Steady: No. 3 yellow, 53%c; No. 3, 53%c; No. 4, 53%c; no.

WHISKY-On the basis of \$1.27 for Liverpool Grain Market. LIVERPOOL, June 17.—WHEAT—Spot, nominal; futures, quiet; July, 6s 104d; September, 5s 84d; December, 5s 75d.

CORN—Spot. steady; American mixed, 4s 114d. Futures, quiet; July, 4s 8d; September, 4s 7d.

oats Steady; No. 3 white, \$15c; No. 4

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